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R 011809Z MAR 75  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EGEN, OVIP, JA

SUBJECT: ECONCOM X

REF: TOKYO 2432

1. DURING MEETING WITH EDMOND ON FEB. 27 JAPANESE  
EMBASSY MINISTER NISHIDA STRONGLY DENIED ACCURACY YOMIURI  
STORY REPORTED REFTEL, WHICH HE SAID GAVE FALSE IMPRESSION  
THAT GOJ WAS ANXIOUS TO BEGIN ECONCOM PREPARATIONS. HE  
ADDED THAT EMPEROR'S VISIT AND POSSIBLE TRIPS LATER THIS  
YEAR BY JAPANESE LEADERS CREATE NUMEROUS PROBLEMS FOR  
SCHEDULING ECONCOM IN 1975 AND IMPLIED THAT IT WOULD BE  
PREFERABLE TO WAIT UNTIL 1976.

2. REQUEST EMBASSY SOUND OUT FOREIGN OFFICE TO ASCERTAIN  
WHETHER IMPRESSION WE OBTAINED FROM NISHIDA THAT ECONCOM  
SHOULD BE PUT OFF UNTIL 1976 ACCURATELY REPRESENTS FONOFF'S  
THINKING.

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3. FYI. DEPARTMENT IS IN PROCESS OF OBTAINING INTERAGENCY

CLEARANCES FOR INSTRUCTIONS ON INITIAL APPROACH TO JAPANESE  
ON TIMING AND FORMAT OF ECONCOM, WHICH SUGGEST EARLY  
SEPTEMBER DATE AFTER IMF MEETINGS. END FYI. INGERSOLL

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